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Title: **DATABASE STORE FOR A VIRTUAL HEAP**	§

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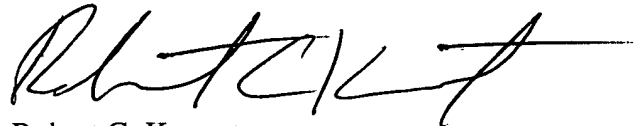Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, mailed August 9, 2000, there is enclosed herewith:

☑   An Assignment of the invention to Sun Microsystems, Inc.

☑   A combined Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by the inventor(s)

☑   A check in the amount of $1,586.00 to cover:

filing fee for large entity ($690.00)

surcharge for late filing of oath or declaration for large entity ($130.00)

assignment fee ($40.00)

extra independent claims ($78.00)

extra dependent claims ($648.00)

☑   A copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted

☑   A return postcard to acknowledge receipt of these materials. Please stamp and return this postcard to the undersigned.

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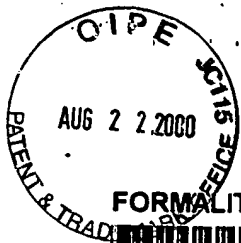
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
  Applicant must submit $ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is $726.
  - $648 for **36** total claims over 20.
  - $78 for **1** independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
  A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of $130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is $ 1546.**

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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